

adequate system restoration, after receiving testimony from former Representative Newt Gingrich; Cheryl LaFleur, Acting Chairman, Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, Department of Energy; Robin E. Manning, Electric Power Research Institute, Charlotte, North Carolina; Kevin Wailes, Lincoln Electric System, Lincoln, Nebraska, on behalf of the American Public Power Association; and Caitlin Durkovich, Toffler Associates, and Henry F. Cooper, both of Reston, Virginia.

INTERNATIONAL DEVELOPMENT

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee concluded a hearing to examine international development, focusing on value added through private sector engagement, after receiving testimony from former Representative Jim Kolbe, Modernizing Foreign As-

sistance Network, Washington, D.C.; Walt M. Macnee, Mastercard, Purchase, New York; Michael Goltzman, The Coca-Cola Company, Atlanta, Georgia; and Kelly Goodejohn, Starbucks, Seattle, Washington.

INTELLIGENCE

Select Committee on Intelligence: Committee held closed hearings on intelligence matters, receiving testimony from officials of the intelligence community.

Committee recessed subject to the call.

BUSINESS MEETING

Select Committee on Intelligence: Committee ordered favorably reported the nomination of Courtney Elwood, of Virginia, to be General Counsel of the Central Intelligence Agency.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Public Bills and Resolutions Introduced: 48 public bills, H.R. 2350–2397; 1 private bill, H.R. 2398; and 4 resolutions, H. Res. 314–317 were introduced.

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Additional Cosponsors:

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Reports Filed: Reports were filed today as follows:

H.R. 1808, to amend and improve the Missing Children's Assistance Act, and for other purposes, with an amendment (H. Rept. 115–110); and

H.R. 1809, to reauthorize and improve the Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention Act of 1974, and for other purposes, with an amendment (H. Rept. 115–111).

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Journal: The House agreed to the Speaker's approval of the Journal by a yeas-and-nays vote of 233 yeas to 186 yeas with 2 answering "present", Roll No. 254.

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Amending the Public Health Service Act to eliminate the non-application of certain State waiver provisions to Members of Congress and congressional staff: The House passed H.R. 2192, to amend the Public Health Service Act to eliminate the non-application of certain State waiver provisions to Members of Congress and congressional staff, by a yeas-and-nays vote of 429 yeas with none voting "nay", Roll No. 255.

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H. Res. 308, the rule providing for consideration of the bill (H.R. 2192) and providing for further consideration of the bill (H.R. 1628) was agreed to

by a recorded vote of 235 yeas to 192 yeas, Roll No. 253, after the previous question was ordered by a yeas-and-nays vote of 235 yeas to 193 yeas, Roll No. 252.

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American Health Care Act of 2017: The House passed H.R. 1628, to provide for reconciliation pursuant to title II of the concurrent resolution on the budget for fiscal year 2017, by a recorded vote of 217 yeas to 213 yeas, Roll No. 256. Consideration began on Friday, March 24.

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Pursuant to H. Res. 228, the further amendments printed in H. Rept. 115–109 shall be considered as adopted.

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Suspension—Proceedings Resumed: The House agreed to suspend the rules and pass the following measure. Consideration began Tuesday, May 2nd.

Korean Interdiction and Modernization of Sanctions Act: H.R. 1644, amended, to enhance sanctions with respect to transactions relating to North Korea, by a 2/3 yeas-and-nays vote of 419 yeas to 1 nay, Roll No. 257.

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U.S. Wants to Compete for a World Expo Act: The House agreed to take from the Speaker's table and concur in the Senate amendment to H.R. 534,

to require the Secretary of State to take such actions as may be necessary for the United States to rejoin the Bureau of International Expositions.

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Meeting Hour: Agreed by unanimous consent that when the House adjourns today, it adjourn to meet at 9 a.m. on Monday, May 8th. Page H4173

Senate Messages: Messages received from the Senate today appear on pages H4139, H4149 and H4174.

Quorum Calls—Votes: Four yea-and-nay votes and two recorded votes developed during the proceedings of today and appear on pages H4137, H4138, H4138–39, H4170–71, H4171–72 and H4172. There were no quorum calls.

Adjournment: The House met at 9 a.m. and adjourned at 2:58 p.m.

Committee Meetings

FINANCIAL CHOICE ACT OF 2017

Committee on Financial Services: Full Committee concluded a markup on H.R. 10, the “Financial CHOICE Act of 2017”. H.R. 10 was ordered reported, as amended.

EXAMINING A CHURCH’S RIGHT TO FREE SPEECH

Committee on Oversight and Government Reform: Subcommittee on Health Care, Benefits, and Administrative Rules; and Subcommittee on Government Operations held a joint hearing entitled, “Examining a Church’s Right to Free Speech”. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

IMPROVING THE SMALL BUSINESS INNOVATION RESEARCH AND SMALL BUSINESS TECHNOLOGY TRANSFER PROGRAMS

Committee on Small Business: Subcommittee on Contracting and Workforce; and Subcommittee on Research and Technology of the House Committee on Science, Space, and Technology held a joint hearing entitled “Improving the Small Business Innovation Research and Small Business Technology Transfer Programs”. Testimony was heard from Joe Shepard, Associate Administrator, Office of Investment and Innovation, Small Business Administration; John Neumann, Director, Natural Resources and Environment, Government Accountability Office; and public witnesses.

ONGOING INTELLIGENCE ACTIVITIES

PERMANENT SELECT COMMITTEE ON INTELLIGENCE

Full Committee held a hearing on ongoing intelligence activities. This hearing was closed.

Joint Meetings

No joint committee meetings were held.

COMMITTEE MEETINGS FOR FRIDAY, MAY 5, 2017

(Committee meetings are open unless otherwise indicated)

Senate

No meetings/hearings scheduled.

House

No hearings are scheduled.